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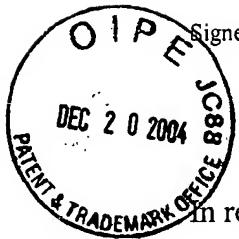
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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:  
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Serial No.: 10/829,491

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For: **TRANSGENIC ANIMALS FOR  
SCREENING THERAPEUTIC AGENTS)  
FOR BRAIN TUMORS**

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-described application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are found on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.